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**Subject:** RE: Follow-Up Questions from Bloomberg interview

Perfect thanks Dahnish! Will send back to Kelly

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I have a couple of suggestions. See below. This should definitely be reviewed by Jennifer since we don't know what she told the reporter.

- Dahnish

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These answers look good to me and I don't think more is needed. Note the answers are numbered 1,2, and 4 but you probably knew that.  
Thanks for sharing,  
Barbara

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**Importance:** High

Hi Barbara – can you take a look at the responses to the first two questions below and provide any more info you think is relevant. Sorry this is a fast turnaround request.

Thanks  
Vicki

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Vicki,  
Can you please assist with these follow up questions for Jennifer?  
Thanks,  
Kelly

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**Subject:** Follow-Up Questions from Bloomberg interview

Good morning Kelly – Please find follow-up questions for the interview Jennifer did with Bloomberg. Can you pass these to IRIS for answers?

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Thank you,

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